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PARKHOUSE, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,
April 8, 1957.

Hon. Ben Ramsey, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, Your Committee on Water and Conservation, to whom was referred H. B. No. 468, have had the same under consideration, and we are instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

PARKHOUSE, Chairman.

Senate Bill 32 with House Amendments

Senator Rogers called S. B. No. 32 from the President's table for consideration of the House amendments to the bill.

The President laid the bill and House amendments before the Senate, and the House amendments were read.

Senator Rogers moved that the Senate concur in the House amendments.

The motion prevailed.

Senate Bill 425 Re-referred

On motion of Senator Fly and by unanimous consent S. B. No. 425 was withdrawn from the Committee on Finance and was re-referred to the Committee on Public Health.

Local and Uncontested Bill Session

On motion of Senator Martin, and by unanimous consent, the Senate agreed to hold a session for the consideration of Local and Uncontested Bills Calendar on Tuesday, April 9, 1957, at 9:30 o'clock a.m.

Special Notice

Senator Bradshaw gave notice that he would move to suspend the necessary rules to take up S. B. No. 123 on tomorrow.

Recess

On motion of Senator Aikin the Senate at 12:33 o'clock p.m. took recess until 9:30 o'clock a.m. tomorrow.

FIFTIETH DAY

(Continued)

(Tuesday, April 9, 1957)

After Recess

The Senate met at 9:30 o'clock a.m., and was called to order by Senator Hardeman.

Leave of Absence

Senator Ashley was granted leave of absence for today on account of important business on motion of Senator Herring.

Local and Uncontested Bill Session

The Presiding Officer announced that the time had arrived for the consideration of the Local and Uncontested Bills Calendar in accordance with a motion previously adopted by the Senate.

Senate Bill 351 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 351, A bill to be entitled "An Act limiting the provisions of this Act to Bexar County; making it unlawful, except under the provisions of this Act, for any person to hunt, take, kill or possess any game bird or game animal in said county at any time; to take, kill or trap any fur-bearing animal in said county; to take or attempt to take any fresh water fish or other aquatic life in said county by any means or method; etc., and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 351 on Third Reading

Senator Gonzalez moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 351 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Fly
Bracewell	Fuller
Bradshaw	Gonzalez
Colson	Hardeman

Hazlewood	Phillips
Herring	Ratliff
Hudson	Reagan
Kazen	Roberts
Krueger	Rogers
Lane	Secrest
Lock	Smith
Martin	Weinert
Moffett	Willis
Moore	Wood
Parkhouse	

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

Senate Bill 340 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 340, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing for the creation of a Hospital District co-extensive with the incorporated limits of the City of Amarillo; providing for an election in the City of Amarillo to create such District and to assume hospital indebtedness; providing for the levy of taxes by the governing body of said city for hospital purposes; etc.; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 340 on Third Reading

Senator Hazlewood moved that Sen-

ate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 340 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

Senate Bill 430 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 430, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Chapter 286, Acts of the 54th Legislature, to provide a

method of annexing territory and excluding land from the present boundaries of the Boling Municipal Water District; providing the procedure to preserve contract rights; providing a severance clause; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 430 on Third Reading

Senator Krueger moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 430 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote.

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bradshaw	Moffett
Bracewell	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

Senate Bill 431 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 431, A bill to be entitled "An Act validating Austin County Water Control and Improvement District No. 2 and declaring it to be a validly existing and operating conservation and reclamation District under Section 59, Article 16, Constitution of Texas; validating the area and boundaries of the District, bond election, and proceedings in connection therewith; validating the bonds authorized at said election, and providing that said bonds when approved by the Attorney General, registered by the Comptroller, and delivered to the purchaser or purchasers, shall be incontestable; validating governmental proceedings and acts; finding and determining that the lands and other property within said District are, and will be, benefited by the District and its improvements and facilities to be constructed and acquired; providing that the ad valorem basis or plan of taxation shall be used by the District; etc.; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 431 on Third Reading

Senator Krueger moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 431 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Krueger
Bracewell	Lane
Bradshaw	Lock
Colson	Martin
Fly	Moffett
Fuller	Moore
Gonzalez	Parkhouse
Hardeman	Phillips
Hazlewood	Ratliff
Herring	Reagan
Hudson	Roberts
Kazen	Rogers

Secrest
Smith
Weinert

Willis
Wood

Absent—Excused

Ashley

Owen

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley

Owen

Senate Bill 245 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 245, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing any incorporated city or town to issue bonds to refund outstanding bonds payable from and secured by a pledge of revenues derived from its electric light and power system, gas system, sewer system, or any combination of two or more of such systems, and containing provisions relating to said refunding bonds; providing that the provisions of this Act shall be cumulative of other laws; providing a severability clause; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

On motion of Senator Lock and by unanimous consent the caption was amended to conform to the body of the bill.

The bill, as amended, was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 245 on Third Reading

Senator Lock moved that Senate

Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 245 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley

Owen

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley

Owen

Bill and Resolutions Signed

The Presiding Officer announced the signing by the President Pro Tempore in the presence of the Senate after the captions had been read, the following enrolled bill and resolutions:

H. B. No. 230, A bill to be entitled

"An Act amending the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, by adding thereto a new Article to be numbered Article 6701½ providing for the issuance of permits by the State Highway Department for the movement of over-length and over-width mobile homes and/or component parts thereof over the highways of Texas; providing a method of issuing such permits; providing a bond; providing a fee; and declaring an emergency."

H. C. R. No. 72, Granting each House permission to adjourn for the Easter Holidays.

H. C. R. No. 55, Pertaining to the air-conditioning of the House of Representatives.

H. C. R. No. 53, Proclaiming the week of March 10-16 as Rice Week.

Senate Bill 85 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 85, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending House Bill 302, Chapter 337, Acts of the 53rd Legislature, Regular Session, 1953, by adding a new Section to be known as Section 2a; providing for the adding or attachment of territory of any military reservation independent school district abolished by the State Board of Education to a school district contiguous to the territory; directing duties of county board of school trustees therein; providing for the combining of scholastic census in such instance; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 85 on Third Reading

Senator Martin moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 85 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Fuller
Bracewell	Gonzalez
Bradshaw	Hardeman
Colson	Hazlewood
Fly	Herring

Hudson	Ratliff
Kazen	Reagan
Krueger	Roberts
Lane	Rogers
Lock	Secrest
Martin	Smith
Moffett	Weinert
Moore	Willis
Parkhouse	Wood
Phillips	

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

Senate Bill 308 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 308, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Section 8 of Chapter 443, Acts of the Forty-fifth Legislature, Regular Session, as amended, to include all counties in the State of Texas covered by such Act; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 308 on Third Reading

Senator Moffett moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 308 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley	Owen
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The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley	Owen
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Senate Bill 269 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 269, A bill to be entitled "An Act requiring a special audit of county records in any county upon a petition of at least thirty per cent (30%) of the qualified voters of the county; providing for the employment of an auditor for such special audit; providing for qualifications, duties and compensation; requiring

such audit to be filed with the district court having jurisdiction in the county and the State Auditor; providing this Act shall be cumulative; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Senator Martin offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend Section 1 of Senate Bill 269 by striking out all of the language following the word "county" on line 22 of the printed bill and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"who voted in the last general election for Governor of Texas, with any district judge having jurisdiction in the county."

MARTIN
HARDEMAN

The amendment was adopted.

Senator Martin offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend Section 2 of Senate Bill 269 by inserting the following words following the word "county" on line 26 of the printed bill:

"who voted in the last general election for Governor of Texas."

MARTIN
HARDEMAN

The amendment was adopted.

On motion of Senator Moore and by unanimous consent the caption was amended to conform to the body of the bill as amended.

The bill as amended was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 269 on Third Reading

Senator Moore moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 269 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Gonzalez
Bracewell	Hardeman
Bradshaw	Hazlewood
Colson	Herring
Fly	Hudson
Fuller	Kazen

Krueger	Reagan
Lane	Roberts
Lock	Rogers
Martin	Secrest
Moffett	Smith
Moore	Weinert
Parkhouse	Willis
Phillips	Wood
Ratliff	

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

Senate Bill 156 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 156, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 768, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1925, relating to credit for time spent in jail between arrest and sentence or pending appeal, so as to make its provisions applicable to misdemeanor cases; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 156 on Third Reading

Senator Moore moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 156 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

Senate Bill 12 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 12, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 7605 of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, to require those drilling or deepening a commercial water well to keep a well log record thereof and deliver or mail to the Board of Water Engineers a copy of such log; requiring that a copy of such log shall also

be mailed to the office of the underground water conservation district when the water well is located within the boundaries of such district; prescribing penalties for violations; defining a commercial water well; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Senator Parkhouse offered the following committee amendment to the bill:

Amend S. B. No. 12 by adding a comma at the end of paragraph No. 1 and add the following:

"provided however, exclusive venue shall lie in the county in which such violation occurs."

The committee amendment was adopted.

On motion of Senator Parkhouse and by unanimous consent the caption was amended to conform to the body of the bill as amended.

The bill, as amended, was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 12 on Third Reading

Senator Parkhouse moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 12 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

Senate Bill 169 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 169, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Sections 18 and 21 of Chapter 41, Acts of the 40th Legislature, First Called Session, as amended (Rules 51a and 54a, Article 4477, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes), by increasing the fees for certified copies of vital records furnished by county clerks and the State Registrar of Vital Statistics and for searching the records of the State Bureau of Vital Statistics, by authorizing deposit of fees in the Vital Statistics Fund oftener than at the close of each month, and by providing for a refund of fees where the Bureau cannot render the service for which the fee was paid; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read the second time.

Senator Secrest offered the following committee amendment to the bill:

Amend S. B. No. 169 by adding the words "thirty days" in the last line of Section three so as the line will read: ", and that this Act take effect and be in force thirty days from and after its passage, and it is so enacted."

The committee amendment was adopted.

On motion of Senator Secrest and by unanimous consent the caption was

amended to conform to the body of the bill as amended.

The bill as amended was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 169 on Third Reading

Senator Secrest moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 169 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

Senate Bill 300 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 300, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing Workmen's Compensation Insurance for certain employees of the institution and agency under the direction or government of the Board of Directors of Texas Technological College; authorizing the said institution and agency to be self-insuring; providing that the institution and agency shall administer this Act; prescribing the powers and duties of the Industrial Accident Board and of the institution and agency, adopting by reference certain Legislative Acts relating to Workmen's Compensation Insurance; etc., and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 300 on Third Reading

Senator Smith moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 300 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin Bracewell

Bradshaw	Moffett
Colson	Moore
Fly	Parkhouse
Fuller	Phillips
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Rogers
Hudson	Secrest
Kazen	Smith
Krueger	Weinert
Lane	Willis
Lock	Wood
Martin	

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

Senate Bill 347 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 347, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Section 2 of Chapter 3, House Bill No. 9, Acts of the Forty-sixth Legislature, Regular Session, 1939, as amended by Chapter 57, Acts of the Fifty-third Legislature, Regular Session, 1953; providing for the leasing of lands belonging to the State of Texas for the production of oil, gas, coal, lignite, sulphur, salt and potash; providing that leasing of minerals other than oil and gas shall not be subject to the provisions of Article 5359, Revised Civil Statutes, 1925 and Subsection 5, Section 8-A of Section 1, Chapter 40, Acts of the Forty-second Legislature, Second Called Session, 1931; providing that the minerals may, at the discretion of the School Land Board, be leased together or separately; providing the minimum royalty; repealing all laws in conflict herewith; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Senator Martin offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend Section 2 of Senate Bill 347 by striking out all of said Section 2 and substituting in lieu thereof the following:

"Section 2. All islands, salt water lakes, bays, inlets, marshes and reefs owned by the State, within tidewater limits and that portion of the Gulf of Mexico within the jurisdiction of Texas, and all unsold surveyed public free

school land and all rivers and channels belonging to the State shall be subject to lease by the Commissioner of the General Land Office to any person, firm or corporation for the production of oil, gas, coal, lignite, sulphur, salt and potash that may be therein or thereunder in accordance with the provisions of all existing laws pertaining to the leasing of such areas for oil and gas; provided that the leasing of minerals other than oil and gas shall not be subject to the provisions of Article 5359, Revised Civil Statutes, 1925, and subsection 5, Section 8-a of Section 1, Chapter 40, Acts of the Forty-second Legislature, Second Called Session, 1931; provided further that at the discretion of the School Land Board, the minerals herein enumerated, other than oil and gas, may be leased together or separately, but oil and gas shall only be leased together, and separately from other minerals; provided further that the royalty reserved to the State shall be not less than one-eighth (1/8) of the gross production or value of oil, gas and sulphur and one-sixteenth (1/16) of the gross production or value of other minerals."

HARDEMAN
MARTIN

The amendment was adopted.

On motion of Senator Martin and by unanimous consent the caption was amended to conform to the body of the bill as amended.

The bill as amended was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 347 on Third Reading

Senator Martin moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 347 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Herring
Bracewell	Hudson
Bradshaw	Kazen
Colson	Krueger
Fly	Lane
Fuller	Lock
Gonzalez	Martin
Hardeman	Moffett
Hazlewood	Moore

Parkhouse	Secrest
Phillips	Smith
Ratliff	Weinert
Reagan	Willis
Roberts	Wood
Rogers	

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

Senate Bill 348 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 348, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Chapter 497, Acts of the Fifty-fourth Legislature, Regular Session, 1955; providing for the prospecting of land belonging to the State for certain minerals; providing for the filing of an application with the Commissioner of the General Land Office; providing the rental payment to accompany such application; providing for the issuance of permits by the Commissioner of the General Land Office; etc., and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Senator Martin offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend Section 1 of Senate Bill 348 by inserting after the comma follow-

ing the word "potash" on line 47 of the printed bill, the words "shell, sand and gravel,".

MARTIN
HARDEMAN

The amendment was adopted.

On motion of Senator Martin and by unanimous consent the caption was amended to conform to the body of the bill as amended.

The bill as amended was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 348 on Third Reading

Senator Martin moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 348 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Herring
Bracewell	Hudson
Bradshaw	Kazen
Colson	Krueger
Fly	Lane
Fuller	Lock
Gonzalez	Martin
Hardeman	Moffett
Hazlewood	Moore

Parkhouse	Secrest
Phillips	Smith
Ratliff	Weinert
Reagan	Willis
Roberts	Wood

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

Senate Bill 29 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 29, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 354, Act of the 53rd Legislature, Regular Session, 1953 (codified in Vernon's Civil Statutes of Texas as Article 7470), so as to add with certain qualifications the purpose of recharging of underground water reservoirs to those purposes for which the public waters of the State may be appropriated providing a savings clause; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Senator Parkhouse offered the following committee amendment to the bill:

Amend S. B. No. 29 by placing a semicolon in lieu of period after word purpose on Line 22 of Page 1 of said bill and adding the following:

Providing further, however, that any water so appropriated, hereunder, upon being put or allowed to sink into the ground, shall thereupon lose its character and classification and be considered percolating ground water.

The committee amendment was adopted.

On motion of Senator Parkhouse and by unanimous consent the caption was amended to conform to the body of the bill as amended.

The bill as amended was passed to engrossment.

Record of Votes

Senators Hudson, Reagan and Kazen asked to be recorded as voting "Nay" on the passage of S. B. No. 29 to engrossment.

Senate Bill 29 on Third Reading

Senator Parkhouse moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional

Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 29 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—26

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Roberts
Hardeman	Rogers
Hazlewood	Secrest
Herring	Smith
Krueger	Weinert
Lane	Willis
Lock	Wood

Nays—3

Hudson	Reagan
Kazen	

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—26

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Roberts
Hardeman	Rogers
Hazlewood	Secrest
Herring	Smith
Krueger	Weinert
Lane	Willis
Lock	Wood

Nays—3

Hudson	Reagan
Kazen	

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

Senate Concurrent Resolution 50 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading:

S. C. R. No. 50, Granting Ben E. Wade permission to sue the State of Texas.

The resolution was read and was adopted.

**Senate Concurrent Resolution 51
on Second Reading**

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading:

S. C. R. No. 51, Granting C. P. Sutton et al. permission to sue the State of Texas.

The resolution was read and was adopted.

**Senate Concurrent Resolution 48
on Second Reading**

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading:

S. C. R. No. 48, Granting A. Vincent permission to sue the State of Texas.

The resolution was read.

Senator Martin offered the following amendment to the resolution:

Amend S. C. R. 48 by inserting the following clause in Paragraph 4 following the semicolon and before the words "and be it further":

"In the event judgment is recovered, it shall only be satisfied out of funds allocated or appropriated to the Texas Game and Fish Commission, but in no event shall an appropriation be made to satisfy such judgment out of the general Revenue fund of the State of Texas."

MARTIN
HARDEMAN

The amendment was adopted.

The resolution as amended was adopted.

**Senate Concurrent Resolution 38
on Second Reading**

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading:

S. C. R. No. 38, Authorizing W. D. Anderson Company to sue the State of Texas.

The resolution was read and was adopted.

**Senate Concurrent Resolution 55
on Second Reading**

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading:

S. C. R. No. 55, Granting Delhi-Taylor Oil Corporation permission to sue the State of Texas.

The resolution was read and was adopted.

Record of Votes

Senators Hardeman and Martin asked to be recorded as voting "Nay" on the adoption of the above resolution.

**Senate Concurrent Resolution 44
on Second Reading**

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading:

S. C. R. No. 44, Granting Hoy H. Byley permission to sue the State of Texas.

The resolution was read and was adopted.

**Senate Concurrent Resolution 45
on Second Reading**

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading:

S. C. R. No. 45, Granting Marguerite Horton Boscamp permission to sue the State of Texas.

The resolution was read and was adopted.

**Senate Concurrent Resolution 54
on Second Reading**

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading:

S. C. R. No. 54, Granting Southwest Natural Gas Company permission to sue the State of Texas.

The resolution was read and was adopted.

Record of Votes

Senators Hardeman and Martin asked to be recorded as voting "Nay" on the adoption of the above resolution.

House Bill 322 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 322, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing for County Juvenile Boards in each County comprising the Second 38th Judicial District; providing for compensation of

members of the Boards; providing compensation allowed County Judges hereunder shall not be counted as fees of office; providing that this Act shall be cumulative of existing laws relating to compensation of Judges of District Courts and County Judges; providing a savings clause; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 322 on Third Reading

Senator Roberts moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 322 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Lane
Bracewell	Lock
Bradshaw	Martin
Colson	Moffett
Fly	Moore
Fuller	Parkhouse
Gonzalez	Phillips
Hardeman	Ratliff
Hazlewood	Reagan
Herring	Roberts
Hudson	Rogers
Kazen	Secrest
Krueger	Smith

Weinert
Willis

Wood

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

House Bill 428 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 428, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend the law creating the Upper Guadalupe River Authority with boundaries coextensive with Kerr County by providing that such district may acquire taxing power under certain conditions, prescribing the method of acquiring such power and placing limitations thereon, providing for tax rolls and officers of the district, providing certain procedures in connection therewith and permitting the issuance of bonds secured by the pledge of ad valorem taxes, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 428 on Third Reading

Senator Roberts moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 428 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

The presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

House Bill 218 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 218, A bill to be entitled "An Act relating to the hunting of raccoon in Falls County and the hunting of fox and raccoon in Limestone County; prohibiting the use of devices or instruments to call or attract animals; providing a penalty for violation; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 218 on Third Reading

Senator Roberts moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 218 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Hudson
Bracewell	Kazen
Bradshaw	Krueger
Colson	Lane
Fly	Lock
Fuller	Martin
Gonzalez	Moffett
Hardeman	Moore
Hazlewood	Parkhouse
Herring	Phillips

Ratliff	Smith
Reagan	Weinert
Roberts	Willis
Rogers	Wood
Secrest	

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

House Bill 740 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 740, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 2351, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, authorizing the Commissioners' Court in counties of 800,000 or more population to create a petty cash fund for operation of County Welfare Department; and to make payments direct to such Director of County Welfare Department for disbursement to needy paupers, subject to such system as may be designed by county auditors of such counties, and subject further to audits by such county auditors; making such law cumulative with all such laws now in effect; providing a saving clause; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 740 on Third Reading

Senator Bracewell moved that Sen-

ate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 740 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

House Bill 254 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 254, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Section 3, Senate Bill 310, Acts 1945, 49th Legislature,

Regular Session, Page 130, Chapter 90, as amended by House Bill 696, Acts 1955, 54th Legislature, Regular Session, Page 606, Chapter 211, to permit the making of routine purchases and contracts not to exceed One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) without the taking of formal bids; to provide for the attachment of either a certified or cashier's check in the amount of five percent (5%) of the amount of the bid, or a bidder's bond with a responsible surety in a like amount, conditioned that the successful bidder will enter into a contract and give bond as required by the specifications; providing for advertisement for bids; providing this Act be cumulative of all other applicable laws not in conflict with the provisions hereof; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 254 on Third Reading

Senator Bracewell moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 254 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Bracewell
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Bradshaw	Moffett
Colson	Moore
Fly	Parkhouse
Fuller	Phillips
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Rogers
Hudson	Secrest
Kazen	Smith
Krueger	Weinert
Lane	Willis
Lock	Wood
Martin	

Absent—Excused

Ashley	Owen
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House Bill 312 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 312, A bill to be entitled "An Act fixing the salary of the District Judge of the 75th Judicial District of Texas; authorizing the Commissioners Court of the Counties comprising the 75th Judicial District of Texas to supplement the salary of the District Judge and providing the method of supplementation; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 312 on Third Reading

Senator Colson moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 312 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley	Owen
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The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley	Owen
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House Bill 396 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 396, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Chapter 370, Acts 53rd Leg., R. S. 1953, relating to Orange County Navigation and Port District of Orange County, Texas; providing that this Act shall not affect rights heretofore vested in or acquired by said District under said Chapter 370 prior to its amendment; validating said District and declaring it to be a validly existing and operating conservation and reclamation district under Sec. 59, Art. 16, Constitution of Texas, and validating (with certain exceptions) elections held in the District and acts and governmental proceedings of the Board of Commissioners of the District; finding that all property in District and in State of Texas is benefited by District and will be benefited by the improvements and facilities to be acquired or constructed under this Act; providing a severability clause; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 396 on Third Reading

Senator Fuller moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 396 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

House Bill 258 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 258, A bill to be entitled

"An Act changing the name and designation of the Special 37th Judicial District of Bexar County, Texas, as created by Senate Bill No. 395, Acts of the 54th Legislature, 1955, Chapter 262, page 730, to the 121st Judicial District of Bexar County, Texas, providing that the duly elected Judge of the Special 37th Judicial District shall be the Judge of the 121st Judicial District until the time for which he has been elected expires, and his successor qualifies; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 258 on Third Reading

Senator Gonzalez moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 258 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Hardeman
Bracewell	Hazlewood
Bradshaw	Herring
Colson	Hudson
Fly	Kazen
Fuller	Krueger
Gonzalez	Lane

Lock	Roberts
Martin	Rogers
Moffett	Secrest
Moore	Smith
Parkhouse	Weinert
Phillips	Willis
Ratliff	Wood
Reagan	

Absent—Excused

Ashley	Owen
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House Bill 216 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 216, A bill to be entitled "An Act to authorize and provide for professional unit allocations for Foundations School Program Act and Fund purposes, determinable on a sparse area formula approved by the State Board of Education applicable to any school district containing one hundred (100) square miles or more and having fewer than one (1) pupil per square miles and which operates and maintains a four-year accredited high school; requiring certain considerations by the State Commissioner of Education; providing the beginning effective date of this Act; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 216 on Third Reading

Senator Aikin moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 216 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley	Owen
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The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley	Owen
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House Bill 589 Ordered Not Printed

On motion of Senator Fuller and by unanimous consent H. B. No. 589 was ordered not printed.

House Bill 589 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 589, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 8224 of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, 1925, prescribing the Authority of the Navigation and Canal Commissioners of Navigation Districts, etc., and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 589 on Third Reading

Senator Fuller moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 589 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Bracewell
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Bradshaw	Moffett
Colson	Moore
Fly	Parkhouse
Fuller	Phillips
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Rogers
Hudson	Secrest
Kazen	Smith
Krueger	Weinert
Lane	Willis
Lock	Wood
Martin	

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

House Bill 518 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 518, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Chapter 315, Acts of the 54th Legislature, 1955, by permitting such districts to enter into contract with the Federal Government or agency or instrumentality thereof for the construction of improvements for which such districts were organized; providing for the approval of the projects, plans and specifications and providing the method of paying obligations assumed; providing the law shall be cumulative; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Senator Hudson offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill 518, by striking out all below the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Section 1. Any drainage district in this State heretofore or hereafter organized under the provisions of Section 52, Article III, Constitution of Texas, which district has heretofore or shall hereafter be converted into a conservation and reclamation district under Section 59, Article XVI, Constitution of Texas, and which district lies wholly within one (1) county, may have defined areas of territory lying wholly within the same county added to said district (whether such territory is contiguous to said district or not) in the following manner:

(1) A petition praying for the annexation of such territory shall be filed with the Commissioners Court of said county, which petition shall describe the territory by metes and bounds, and which petition shall be signed by fifty (50) or a majority of those qualified resident voters of said territory who own taxable property within said territory and who have duly rendered the same for taxation.

(2) If the Commissioners Court finds that such petition meets the requirements set forth in (1) above, said Court shall order a hearing upon such petition, setting the time and place thereof, which hearing shall be held within thirty (30) days after the date of such order. Notice of said hearing shall consist of a substantial copy of the order calling the same, and said notice shall be published in a newspaper giving general circulation within the district and within the territory proposed to be annexed at least one (1) time not less than ten (10) nor more than twenty (20) days before the date set for said hearing.

(3) All persons whose land or other property might be affected by the proposed annexation, and all other interested persons, may appear at the hearing and offer testimony or evidence either for or against said annexation, and said hearing may be adjourned from day to day. If the Commissioners Court shall at the conclusion of said hearing determine that both the district and the territory proposed to be annexed would be

benefited by the same, it shall order an election upon the proposition of whether said Court shall annex such territory. Provision shall be made in the order calling said election for a voting place or places both in the district and in the territory proposed to be annexed, and only duly qualified resident electors of the district or of the territory proposed to be annexed, as the case may be, who own taxable property within said territory and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, shall be qualified to vote at said election. If the district has outstanding bonds payable in whole or in part from taxes, the proposition shall also include the assumption of such bonds. The ballots shall have written or printed thereon "FOR ANNEXATION" and "AGAINST ANNEXATION," or if the district has outstanding tax bonds, "FOR ANNEXATION AND ASSUMPTION OF BONDS" and "AGAINST ANNEXATION AND ASSUMPTION OF BONDS." Notice of said election shall be given in the same manner as the notice of hearing, as above provided. Except as provided herein, said election shall be called and held in accordance with the General Election Laws of this State. The Commissioners Court shall pass an order canvassing the returns cast at said election, and if a majority of those voting at said election within said district and if a majority of those voting at said election within the territory proposed to be annexed shall vote in favor of the proposition, said Commissioners Court shall pass an order declaring the annexation of said territory, and, in the case that there are outstanding district tax bonds, the assumption of said bonds by the district as enlarged by the annexation.

(4) If said election results favorably to the annexation of said territory, the Commissioners Court shall adopt an order defining the boundaries of the district as enlarged by the annexation, and a copy of such order shall be filed and recorded in the deed records of the county.

(5) Any such district shall have the right, in the accomplishment of the purposes for which the District was organized, created or established to enter into contracts for the construction of the improvements with the Government of the United States of America or any agency or instrumentality thereof, including but not

limited to the Bureau of Reclamation of the Department of Interior. The governing body must approve the project, the plans and specifications and the methods of construction or reconstruction, and may then execute a contract for a specified number of years or until such plans or programs of the Drainage District shall have been completed, and make payment of the obligations incurred thereunder by the issuance of bonds by the District approved by the voters of such District in the manner provided by general law for the issuance of bonds by a Drainage District and not otherwise, and deliver same to the Government of the United States, or any agency or instrumentality thereof entering into such contract with said District.

Sec. 2. The provisions of this Act shall be cumulative of all other laws pertaining to such conservation and reclamation districts.

Sec. 3. The fact that the drainage districts in this State should be given express statutory authority to enter into contracts with State or Federal Governments or agencies thereof in order to accomplish the purpose for which such drainage districts were created, and the further fact that such districts should be empowered to deliver the bonds in payment for the contract work if performed by the United States Government, its agents or instrumentalities or by a political subdivision or agency of the State of Texas, creates an emergency and an imperative public necessity that the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days in each House be suspended; and said Rule is hereby suspended, and that this Act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage, and it is so enacted.

The amendment was adopted.

On motion of Senator Hudson and by unanimous consent the caption was amended to conform to the body of the bill as amended.

The bill as amended was passed to third reading.

House Bill 518 on Third Reading

Senator Hudson moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 518 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

House Bill 857 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 857, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing Webb County to supplement the salary of the District Attorney of the 49th Judicial District for additional services performed in Webb County, authorizing the appointment of an Assistant District Attorney, Special Investigators for the District Attorney, and a Stenogra-

pher-Secretary for the District Attorney of the 49th Judicial District to act in Webb County; fixing the salary of said Assistant District Attorney, Special Investigators, and Stenographer-Secretary to be paid by Webb County; repealing Chapter 253, Acts of the 52nd Legislature, and all other laws in conflict herewith; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 857 on Third Reading

Senator Kazen moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 857 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Kazen
Bracewell	Krueger
Bradshaw	Lane
Colson	Lock
Fly	Martin
Fuller	Moffett
Gonzalez	Moore
Hardeman	Parkhouse
Hazlewood	Phillips
Herring	Ratliff
Hudson	Reagan

Roberts
Rogers
Secrest
Smith

Weinert
Willis
Wood

Absent—Excused

Ashley

Owen

House Bill 280 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 280, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Sections 2 and 3 of House Bill 853, Acts 1949, 51st Legislature, Regular Session, Page 507, Chapter 280 as amended by House Bill 332, Acts 1953, 53rd Legislature, Regular Session, Page 107, Chapter 73, to provide for a Promotion and Development Fund of not more than five percent (5%) of the gross income from operations in each calendar year for Navigation Districts having within its limits a city with a population in excess of 300,000; etc., and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading:

House Bill 280 on Third Reading

Senator Bracewell moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 280 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley

Owen

The Presiding Officer then laid the

bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley

Owen

House Bill 354 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 354, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Subsections (b) and (c) of Section 1, Senate Bill 476, Acts 1935, 44th Legislature, Regular Session, Page 368, Chapter 134, to provide for publication once each week for two consecutive weeks of advertisements for the taking of bids for the sale or lease of property owned by Navigation Districts; providing for the leasing of surplus lands belonging to Navigation Districts for a term not to exceed five years without the taking of bids; providing that this Act be cumulative of all other laws governing the Navigation Districts not in conflict with the provisions hereof; providing a savings clause; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 354 on Third Reading

Senator Bracewell moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 354 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley	Owen
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The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley	Owen
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House Bill 641 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 641, A bill to be entitled "An Act relating to Harris County Houston Ship Channel Navigation District of Harris County, Texas: (a) authorizing said District to acquire, purchase, enlarge, extend, repair, maintain, operate, or develop certain improvements and facilities; authorizing the Board of Navigation and Canal Commissioners of said District to prescribe fees and charges for the

use of the improvements and facilities of the District and providing for the use and disposition of the revenues produced thereby; authorizing the issuance by said Board of obligations of the District payable solely out of said revenues and containing provisions relating to said revenues and to be said obligations and the issuance thereof and to said improvements and facilities; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Senator Bracewell offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend Subsection (a), Section 2, of House Bill 641 by making the following insertions and deletions:

After the word "Articles" and before the figures "8229," insert the figures: "8210, 8211, 8225, 8226, 8227, 8228;"

Delete the figures "8244."

After the words "Page 554" and before the word "provided" insert the following: Chapter 217, Acts 1949, 51st Legislature, Page 407; Chapter 252, Acts 1955, 54th Legislature, Page 701; and Subsections (b) and (c) of Section 1, Chapter 134, Acts 1935, 44th Legislature, Page 368, as amended."

The amendment was adopted.

On motion of Senator Bracewell and by unanimous consent the caption was amended to conform to the body of the bill as amended.

The bill as amended was passed to third reading.

House Bill 641 on Third Reading

Senator Bracewell moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 641 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Gonzalez
Bracewell	Hardeman
Bradshaw	Hazlewood
Colson	Herring
Fly	Hudson
Fuller	Kazen

Krueger	Reagan
Lane	Roberts
Lock	Rogers
Martin	Secrest
Moffett	Smith
Moore	Weinert
Parkhouse	Willis
Phillips	Wood
Ratliff	

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

House Bill 578 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 578, A bill to be entitled "An Act fixing the period that deer and wild turkey may be hunted, taken or killed in Throckmorton County, providing for a penalty and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 578 on Third Reading

Senator Moffett moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 578 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

House Bill 494 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 494, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating a conservation and reclamation district under Article XVI, Section 59, of the Constitution, comprising the territory contained within the cities of Seymour, Knox City, Munday, Goree, Haskell, Rule, and Rochester, to be known as the 'North Central Texas Municipal Water Authority,' etc.; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 494 on Third Reading

Senator Moffett moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 494 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

House Bill 853 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 853, A bill to be entitled "An Act constituting a local law for the maintenance of the public roads and highways in Ector County by authorizing the County to issue certificates of indebtedness for certain stated purposes; stating terms and conditions of issuance; requiring the levy of a tax to pay such certificates; enacting other provisions relating to the subject; containing a severability clause; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 853 on Third Reading

Senator Rogers moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 853 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Hudson
Bracewell	Kazen
Bradshaw	Krueger
Colson	Lane
Fly	Lock
Fuller	Martin
Gonzalez	Moffett
Hardeman	Moore
Hazlewood	Parkhouse
Herring	Phillips

Ratliff
Reagan
Roberts
Rogers
Secrest

Smith
Weinert
Willis
Wood

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

House Bill 650 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 650, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing the Commissioners' Court of Ector County to pay the District Judge of the 70th Judicial District compensation in addition to the compensation paid by the State; making other provisions relating thereto; providing a severability clause and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 650 on Third Reading

Senator Roberts moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 650 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin
Bracewell
Bradshaw
Colson
Fly
Fuller
Gonzalez
Hardeman
Hazlewood
Herring
Hudson
Kazen
Krueger
Lane
Lock

Martin
Moffett
Moore
Parkhouse
Phillips
Ratliff
Reagan
Roberts
Rogers
Secrest
Smith
Weinert
Willis
Wood

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin
Bracewell
Bradshaw
Colson
Fly
Fuller
Gonzalez
Hardeman
Hazlewood
Herring
Hudson
Kazen
Krueger
Lane
Lock

Martin
Moffett
Moore
Parkhouse
Phillips
Ratliff
Reagan
Roberts
Rogers
Secrest
Smith
Weinert
Willis
Wood

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

House Bill 454 on Second Reading

The Presiding officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 454, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 4436a-1, Vernon's Texas Statutes, the same being Acts of the Forty-sixth Legislature, Special Session in 1929, page 844, by providing that in any County containing an incorporated city the Commissioners' Court and City Council may cooperate in forming a City-County Health Unit and combined health units of any political subdivisions appropriate funds to the combined unit; repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 454 on Third Reading

Senator Roberts moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 454 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin
Bracewell
Bradshaw
Colson
Fly
Fuller
Gonzalez
Hardeman

Hazlewood
Herring
Hudson
Kazen
Krueger
Lane
Lock
Martin

Moffett
Moore
Parkhouse
Phillips
Ratliff
Reagan
Roberts

Rogers
Secrest
Smith
Weinert
Willis
Wood

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

House Bill 607 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 607, A bill to be entitled "An Act to authorize and require the appointment of official shorthand reporters in each District Court and each County Court at Law heretofore and hereafter created in counties having a population of six hundred and thirteen thousand or more, according to the last preceding Federal census; fixing maximum and minimum salaries to be paid, in addition to compensation for transcripts, statement of fact and other fees, providing the time, method and manner of payment; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 607 on Third Reading

Senator Parkhouse moved that

Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 607 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

House Bill 205 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 205, A bill to be entitled "An Act validating the organizational proceedings of cities, towns and villages, including their incorporation,

adoption of charters and charter amendment or amendments (of home rule cities), consolidations and boundaries; validating governmental proceedings, office and officers of any city, town or village; providing the Act shall not validate the organizational or governmental proceedings if the question is involved in litigation; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

Record of Vote

Senator Hardeman asked to be recorded as voting "Nay" on the passage of H. B. No. 205 to third reading.

House Bill 205 on Third Reading

Senator Phillips moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 205 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—28

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Rogers
Hudson	Secrest
Kazen	Smith
Krueger	Weinert
Lane	Willis
Lock	Wood

Nays—1

Hardeman

Absent—Excused

Ashley

Owen

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—28

Aikin	Fly
Bracewell	Fuller
Bradshaw	Gonzalez
Colson	Hazlewood

Herring	Phillips
Hudson	Ratliff
Kazen	Reagan
Krueger	Roberts
Lane	Rogers
Lock	Secrest
Martin	Smith
Moffett	Weinert
Moore	Willis
Parkhouse	Wood

Nays—1

Hardeman

Absent—Excused

Ashley

Owen

House Bill 294 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 294, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 3 of Chapter 528, Acts of the 54th Legislature, 1955, by providing a method for adopting the provisions of the law; providing the provisions shall be cumulative; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 294 on Third Reading

Senator Phillips moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 294 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley

Owen

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

House Bill 378 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 378, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing for a closed season in Scurry County upon quail until April 30, 1963; providing a penalty; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 378 on Third Reading

Senator Ratliff moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 378 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Kazen
Bracewell	Krueger
Bradshaw	Lane
Colson	Lock
Fly	Martin
Fuller	Moffett
Gonzalez	Moore
Hardeman	Parkhouse
Hazlewood	Phillips
Herring	Ratliff
Hudson	Reagan

Roberts	Weinert
Rogers	Willis
Secrest	Wood
Smith	

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

House Bill 379 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 379, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing for a closed season in Borden County upon quail until April 30, 1963; providing a penalty; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 379 on Third Reading

Senator Ratliff moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 379 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Colson
Bracewell	Fly
Bradshaw	Fuller

Gonzalez	Parkhouse
Hardeman	Phillips
Hazlewood	Ratliff
Herring	Reagan
Hudson	Roberts
Kazen	Rogers
Krueger	Secrest
Lane	Smith
Lock	Weinert
Martin	Willis
Moffett	Wood
Moore	

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

House Bill 538 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 538, A bill to be entitled "An Act to make it unlawful to use or employ doors or boards to spread or open a shrimp trawl in the inland salt waters of Nueces County during the closed season of a greater size and dimension than twenty-four (24) by thirty-six (36) inches, or a total of Eight Hundred and Sixty-four (864) Square Inches, providing a penalty and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 538 on Third Reading

Senator Reagan moved that Senate

Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 538 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

House Bill 595 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 595, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing that it shall be unlawful to kill mink in Hunt Coun-

ty, Texas, for a period of two (2) years from and after the passage of this Act; repealing all laws in conflict; providing a penalty; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 595 on Third Reading

Senator Roberts moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 595 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

House Bill 474 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 474, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing an open season for hunting, taking, and killing quail in Hunt County, Texas; fixing the days on which such hunting is permitted; fixing the limit on the number of quail killed or that any person may have in possession at any time; making said Act applicable to all varieties of quail; fixing a penalty; repealing all laws in conflict with this Act; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 474 on Third Reading

Senator Roberts moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 474 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Fuller
Bracewell	Gonzalez
Bradshaw	Hardeman
Colson	Hazlewood
Fly	Herring

Hudson	Ratliff
Kazen	Reagan
Krueger	Roberts
Lane	Rogers
Lock	Secrest
Martin	Smith
Moffett	Weinert
Moore	Willis
Parkhouse	Wood
Phillips	

Absent—Excused

Ashley	Owen
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House Bill 285 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 285, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Section 13 of Chapter 35, Acts of the 53rd Legislature, First Called Session, 1954, relating to the Green Belt Municipal and Industrial Water Authority so as to provide for the exclusion of member cities under certain conditions; providing for the annexation of such territory to the Authority; making other provisions relating to the operation of the Green Belt Municipal and Industrial Water Authority; providing a severability clause, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 285 on Third Reading

Senator Rogers moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 285 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley	Owen
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The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley	Owen
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House Bill 411 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 411, A bill to be entitled "An Act exempting Deaf Smith, Hale and Swisher Counties from the provisions of Chapter 7, Title 121, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, and from all other laws regulating the inspection of hides and animals, and particularly from the provisions of Article 1471 through 1487 of the Penal Code of Texas, 1925; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 411 on Third Reading

Senator Rogers moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 411 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Bradshaw
Bracewell	Colson

Fly	Moore
Fuller	Parkhouse
Gonzalez	Phillips
Hardeman	Ratliff
Hazlewood	Reagan
Herring	Roberts
Hudson	Rogers
Kazen	Secrest
Krueger	Smith
Lane	Weinert
Lock	Willis
Martin	Wood
Moffett	

Absent—Excused

Ashley	Owen
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The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley	Owen
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House Bill 534 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 534, A bill to be entitled "An Act establishing a juvenile board in Midland County; prescribing the membership and powers of the board and providing for compensation of its members; authorizing the board to appoint a juvenile officer; prescribing the powers and duties of the juvenile officer and providing for his compensation; etc., and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 534 on Third Reading

Senator Rogers moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 534 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley	Owen
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The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley	Owen
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House Bill 815 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 815, A bill to be entitled "An Act constituting a local law for the maintenance of the public roads and highways in Frio County by authorizing the County to issue certificates of indebtedness for certain stated purposes; stating terms and conditions of issuance; requiring the levy of a tax to pay such certificates; enacting other provisions relating to the subject; containing a severability clause; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 815 on Third Reading

Senator Weinert moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 815 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley	Owen
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The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Herring
Bracewell	Hudson
Bradshaw	Kazen
Colson	Krueger
Fly	Lane
Fuller	Lock
Gonzalez	Martin
Hardeman	Moffett
Hazlewood	Moore

Parkhouse	Secrest
Phillips	Smith
Ratliff	Weinert
Reagan	Willis
Roberts	Wood
Rogers	

Absent—Excused

Ashley	Owen
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House Concurrent Resolution 19 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading:

H. C. R. No. 19, Granting permission to W. H. Taylor to sue the State of Texas.

The resolution was read and was adopted.

Senate Bill 70 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 70, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article III of Section 1, subdivision (4), paragraph "a," of Senate Bill No. 116, Chapter 334, Acts of the 51st Legislature, Regular Session, 1949, as amended, to redefine the words 'mentally retarded children'; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Senator Lock offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend S. B. 70 by adding a new sentence on line 49 of the printed bill to read as follows:

"Provided that the term 'trainable' shall include only those children who can benefit from instruction in classes with educable mentally retarded children."

The amendment was adopted.

On motion of Senator Aikin and by unanimous consent the caption was amended to conform to the body of the bill as amended.

The bill as amended was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 70 on Third Reading

Senator Aikin moved that the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 70 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

Senate Bill 427 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 427, A bill to be entitled "An Act making it lawful to take rough fish by spear fishing methods or with bow and arrow in the public fresh waters of the State of Texas; defining rough fish; prohibiting possession of other fish when using such devices; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read the second time.

Senator Willis offered the following committee amendment to the bill:

Amend Senate Bill No. 427 by striking out the words "To Be Enacted" in the caption of the bill and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "To Be Entitled."

The committee amendment was adopted.

The bill as amended was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 427 on Third Reading

Senator Willis moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 427 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Hudson
Bracewell	Kazen
Bradshaw	Krueger
Colson	Lane
Fly	Lock
Fuller	Martin
Gonzalez	Moffett
Hardeman	Moore
Hazlewood	Parkhouse
Herring	Phillips

Ratliff	Smith
Reagan	Weinert
Roberts	Willis
Rogers	Wood
Secrest	

Absent—Excused

Ashley	Owen
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House Bill 397 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 397, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing for additional compensation for the County Judge of Bexar County, Texas, for services rendered by him as a member of the Bexar County Juvenile Board; specifying the fund out of which such additional compensation shall be payable; providing that such additional compensation shall be in addition to all other salary or compensation now paid to said County Judge; providing that this Act shall be cumulative of all existing general laws of the State; and providing for the repeal of H. B. No. 377 of the Acts of the Regular Session, 54th Legislature, 1955; providing for a severance clause; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and passed to third reading.

House Bill 397 on Third Reading

Senator Gonzalez moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 397 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley	Owen
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The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley	Owen
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Conclusion of Local and Uncontested Bill Calendar Session

The Presiding Officer announced the conclusion of the session for the consideration of the Local and Uncontested Bill Calendar.

Senate Resolution 328

Senator Hardeman by unanimous consent offered the following resolution for Senator Ashley:

Whereas, We are honored today to have as visitors in the Senate 17 F.F.A. and 4-H Club boys of the Concho County Commercial Feeders of Concho County, accompanied by their teachers, E. Otte, Eola Vocational Agriculture teacher; Don Weaver, Eden, Vocational Agricultural teacher; and Ed Whitesides, Concho County Agent; and

Whereas, We desire to welcome these distinguished visitors to the Capitol Building and Capital City; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That their presence be recognized by the Senate of Texas and that they be extended the official welcome of the Senate.

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The resolution was read and was adopted.

Senator Hardeman by unanimous consent presented the students, teachers and sponsors to the Members of the Senate.

Senate Resolution 329

Senator Phillips by unanimous consent offered the following resolution:

Whereas, We are honored today to have in the gallery of the Senate the Sixth Grade students from the Island School of Galveston, accompanied by their teachers and sponsors, Mrs. Agnes Schindler, Mrs. Stevens and Mr. Richard Stewart; and

Whereas, These students are on an educational tour of the Capitol Building and the Capital City; and

Whereas, This fine group of young American citizens is here to observe and to learn at firsthand the workings of their State government; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That we officially recognize and welcome these guests and commend them for their interest; and that a copy of this Resolution, properly endorsed, bearing the official seal of the Senate, be mailed to them in recognition of their visit.

The resolution was read and was adopted.

Senator Phillips by unanimous consent presented the students, teachers and sponsors to the Members of the Senate.

Senate Resolution 330

Senator Phillips by unanimous consent offered the following resolution:

Whereas, We are honored today to have in the gallery of the Senate the Fifth Grade students from the George Washington Carver School in Galveston, accompanied by their teachers and sponsors, Mrs. M. J. Jones, Mrs. F. B. Clark and Mr. Charles W. Moore; and

Whereas, These students are on an educational tour of the Capitol Building and the Capital City; and

Whereas, This fine group of young American citizens is here to observe and to learn at firsthand the workings of their State government; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That we officially recognize and welcome these guests and

commend them for their interest; and that a copy of this Resolution, properly endorsed, bearing the official seal of the Senate, be mailed to them in recognition of their visit.

The resolution was read and was adopted.

Senator Phillips by unanimous consent presented the students, teachers and sponsors to the Members of the Senate.

Senate Resolution 331

Senator Herring by unanimous consent offered the following resolution:

Whereas, We are honored today to have in the gallery of the Senate the Government Class of Sacred Heart High School in Rockne, Bastrop County, Texas accompanied by their teachers, Sister M. Patricia Anne O.S.B. and Sister Mary Scholastica O.S.B.; and

Whereas, These students are on an educational tour of the Capitol Building and the Capital City; and

Whereas, This fine group of young American citizens is here to observe and to learn at firsthand the workings of their State government; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That we officially recognize and welcome these guests and commend them for their interest; and that a copy of this Resolution, properly endorsed, bearing the official seal of the Senate, be mailed to them in recognition of their visit.

The resolution was read and was adopted.

Senator Herring by unanimous consent presented the students and teachers to the Members of the Senate.

Senate Resolution 332

Senator Aikin by unanimous consent offered the following resolution for Senator Ashley:

Whereas, We are honored today to have in the gallery of the Senate Brooksmith High School of Brooksmith (16 members of 7th and 8th grade), accompanied by their teachers, Mr. W. C. Dillingham and Mrs. Zena Galloway; and

Whereas, These students are on an educational tour of the Capitol Building the Capital City; and

Whereas, This fine group of young American citizens is here to observe and to learn at firsthand the workings of their State government; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That we officially recognize and welcome these guests and commend them for their interest; and that a copy of this Resolution, properly endorsed, bearing the official seal of the Senate, be mailed to them in recognition of their visit.

The resolution was read and was adopted.

Senator Aikin by unanimous consent presented the students and teachers to the Members of the Senate.

Senate Resolution 333

Senator Herring by unanimous consent offered the following resolution:

Whereas, We are honored today to have as visitors in the Senate Mrs. Mary Harding and wives and guests of the Texas Cemetery Association; and

Whereas, We desire to welcome these distinguished visitors to the Capitol Building and Capital City; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That their presence be recognized by the Senate of Texas and that they be extended the official welcome of the Senate.

The resolution was read and was adopted.

Senator Herring by unanimous consent presented the guests to the Members of the Senate.

Senate Resolution 334

Senator Bracewell by unanimous consent offered the following resolution:

Whereas, We are honored today to have in the gallery of the Senate 27 pupils of the 5th grade class of Ridgecrest Elementary School, Houston, Harris County, Texas, accompanied by their teacher Catherine Aultman; and

Whereas, These students are on an educational tour of the Capitol Building the Capital City; and

Whereas, This fine group of young American citizens is here to observe and to learn at firsthand the workings of their State government; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That we officially recog-

nize these guests and commend them for their interest; and that a copy of this Resolution, properly endorsed, bearing the official seal of the Senate, be mailed to them in recognition of their visit.

The resolution was read and was adopted.

Senator Bracewell by unanimous consent presented the students and Miss Aultman to the Members of the Senate.

Senate Resolution 335

Senator Bracewell by unanimous consent offered the following resolution:

Whereas, On Friday, April 12, 1957, the Senate of the State of Texas will be favored by a visit from the Bellaire Belles of Harris County, Texas; and

Whereas, The Bellaire Belles is an organization composed of one hundred senior girls from Bellaire High School, who make an outstanding contribution to their school, community and state by giving of their time to participate in worthwhile school and community affairs; and

Whereas, It is the desire of the Senate of the State of Texas to recognize this outstanding organization and welcome them to the Capitol of Texas, together with their sponsor, Miss Charlotte Demmer, and the faculty members of Bellaire High School accompanying them, Mr. W. L. Burns, Mrs. Maureen Dailey and Mrs. Jean Wooters; and now, therefore, be it

Resolved, By the Senate of the State of Texas that the Bellaire Belles of Bellaire High School in Harris County be officially welcomed to their State Capitol and commended for their interest in State Government; and be it further

Resolved, That copies of this resolution be furnished each member of the Bellaire Belles.

The resolution was read and was adopted.

Message from the House

Hall of the House of Representatives,
Austin, Texas
April 9, 1957.

Hon. Ben Ramsey, President of the Senate.

Sir: I am directed by the House to

inform the Senate that the House has passed the following:

H. B. No. 507, A bill to be entitled "An Act to validate the establishment organization, and/or creation of all School Districts; validating the acts of county boards of school trustees, County Judges, Commissioners Courts, boards of trustees of such School Districts and municipal governing bodies; validating tax elections, bond elections, bond assumption elections, and all bonds voted, authorized, and/or now outstanding of said Districts; authorizing the levy, assessment, and collection of taxes; providing that this Act shall not apply to certain School Districts involved now or upon the effective date of this Act, or previously involved in litigation, or to Districts involved in certain proceedings now pending before the County Boards of Education, State Commissioner of Education or the State Board of Education, or to Districts which may have been established and which later returned to original status; providing a saving clause; and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 531, A bill to be entitled "An Act validating the organization and creation of the Brushy Creek Water Control and Improvement District No. 1 of Williamson and Milam Counties; validating the confirmation, election of directors, and preliminary bond election and proceedings in connection therewith; validating the preliminary bonds authorized at said election and providing that when said preliminary bonds have been issued and delivered they shall be incontestable; validating governmental proceedings and acts; validating the area and boundary lines of said District; finding and determining that the lands and other property within said District are, and will be, benefited by the District and its improvements, works and measures to be constructed and accomplished; providing that the ad valorem basis or plan or taxation shall be used by the District and that it shall not be necessary to hold a hearing on the adoption of a plan of taxation, or for exclusions; declaring that the District is essential to the accomplishment of the purposes of Section 59, Article 16, Constitution of Texas, and declaring the District to be a governmental agency, body politic; authorizing the District to have all the powers, rights, privileges and duties

of a local organization within the purview of Public Law 566, 83rd Congress, Chapter 626, 2nd Session, H. R. 6788, as amended by Public Law 1018, 84th Congress, Chapter 1027, 2d Session, H. R. 8750, including the power or authority to secure a federal loan or loans and enacting the applicable provisions of said public laws into this Act: authorizing the District to issue negotiable bonds for payment of interest and principal thereof; providing that no loan from the Federal Government shall be consummated and no bonds shall be issued unless authorized by an election for such purposes; providing any such bonds to be incontestable after approval by the Attorney General and registration by the Comptroller of Public Accounts; providing that it shall not be necessary for plans and specifications, engineering reports, profiles, maps and other data or any subsequent amendments thereto be submitted to the State Board of Water Engineers for approval if the same have been prepared by the Soil Conservation Service and approved by the directors; providing that the District is subject to statutes relating to water control and improvement districts unless otherwise provided; providing a severability clause; and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 532, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 109 of House Bill No. 6, Chapter 492, Acts Fifty-second Legislature, Regular Session, 1951 (compiled as Article 8.27, Chapter 8, Vernon's Texas Election Code) and Article 259, Chapter 7, Texas Penal Code, 1925, to make uniform the distances from polling places within which loitering and electioneering are unlawful while the polls are open, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 680, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 667-7 (b) of the Penal Code of Texas, to provide for a renewal fee of Three (\$3.00) Dollars in addition to the amount required to be paid for annual license fees; and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 843, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing an additional optional method for establishment and administration of county-wide hospital districts under management of a board of managers composed of the

commissioners court with the county judge as chairman; prescribing the powers, duties and functions of the board of managers and of the commissioners court; providing for elections on creation of the district, limitation of the taxing power of the district, and issuance of bonds; providing for conversion of districts; and making other provisions incidental to the operation of such districts."

H. B. No. 716, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 527 of the Penal Code of Texas, 1925, as amended by Section 1 of Senate Bill 28, Acts of the 48th Legislature, Regular Session, 1943, Chapter 35, as amended by Section 1 of House Bill 302, Acts of the 54th Legislature, Regular Session, 1955, Chapter 107, page 386, relating to immoral or depraved publications, motion pictures, penny arcade machine pictures and indecent objects, so as to provide that the editing, publishing or dissemination of any pamphlet, magazine or any printed paper devoted mainly to the publication of whoring, lechery, assignation, intrigues between men and women or immoral conduct of persons, or of depraved acts showing violent brutality, or the possession or keeping for sale or distribution or assisting in the sale or distribution of any such pamphlet, magazine or printed matter, or the showing of lewd, lascivious, obscene, indecent, immoral pictures, or of pictures of acts showing violent brutality, on the cover, jacket, or frontispiece of any pamphlet, magazine or printed matter so as to represent that such pamphlet, magazine or printed matter is devoted mainly to the publication of whoring, lechery, assignations, intrigues between men and women or immoral conduct of persons, or of depraved acts showing violent brutality, or to show, exhibit or display and such obscene, immoral or depraved cover, jacket, or frontispiece shall be a misdemeanor offense, and also making it unlawful for any person, firm, or corporation, or any agent or servant thereof, acting as a wholesale distributor or news agency to require, or demand of, any person, firm, or corporation selling goods, wares, and merchandise at retail to purchase or accept from such distributor or agency and particular pamphlet, magazine or printed matter in order that such retailer might purchase or secure from such distributor or agency any other pamphlet, maga-

zine, or printed matter, providing a penalty for violations of this Act; repealing all laws in conflict with this Act in so far as they conflict with this Act; providing a severability clause and declaring an emergency."

Respectfully submitted,

DOROTHY HALLMAN,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

Senate Resolution 336

Senator Kazen by unanimous consent offered the following resolution:

Whereas, We are honored today to have in the gallery the Eighth Grade of Benavides Grammar School, accompanied by their teachers, Miss Luz Lopez Lira and Mr. Hector Pena; and

Whereas, These students and guests are on an educational tour of the Capitol Building and the Capital City; and

Whereas, These fine young American citizens are here to observe and learn firsthand the workings of their State Government; Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That we officially recognize and welcome this class and commend them for their interest, and that a copy of this resolution, properly indorsed, bearing the official seal of the Senate, be mailed to them in recognition of their visit.

The resolution was read and was adopted.

Senator Kazen by unanimous consent presented the students and teachers to the Members of the Senate.

At Ease

The Presiding Officer announced at 10:55 o'clock a.m. that the Senate would stand At Ease until 11:15 o'clock a.m.

In Legislative Session

The President called the Senate to order as in Legislative Session at 11:15 o'clock a.m.

Message from the House

Hall of the House of Representatives,
Austin, Texas,
April 9, 1957.

Hon. Ben Ramsey, President of the Senate.

Sir: I am directed by the House

to inform the Senate that the House has passed the following:

H. C. R. No. 83, Respectfully requesting the Senate to return House Bills Nos. 18, 50, and 63 to the House.

The House has granted the request of the Senate for the appointment of a conference Committee on S. J. R. No. 4.

The House has appointed the following Conference Committee on S. J. R. No. 4: Bryan, Blaine, Forsyth, Seeligson and Stewart.

Respectfully submitted,
DOROTHY HALLMAN,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

Senate Resolution 337

Senator Bracewell by unanimous consent offered the following resolution:

Whereas, We are honored today to have as visitors in the Senate, Agustin Alva Cejudo of Mexico City and Jack Claitor of Houston; and

Whereas, We desire to welcome these distinguished visitors to the Capitol Building and Capital City; Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That their presence be recognized by the Senate of Texas and that they be extended the privileges of the floor for the day.

The resolution was read and was adopted.

Senator Bracewell by unanimous consent presented the distinguished guests to the Members of the Senate.

House Concurrent Resolution 76

On motion of Senator Hudson and by unanimous consent, the regular order of business was suspended to take up for consideration at this time.

H. C. R. No. 76, Requesting Congress to enact a law giving consent to join the United States in any suit or controversy in the Supreme Court of the United States involving the Rio Grande Compact to which the United States is a necessary party; requesting Texas Members of Congress to support such legislation; and directing the Secretary of State to send copies of this Resolution to certain Federal officials.

The resolution was read and was adopted.

Reports of Standing Committees

Senator Lane by unanimous consent submitted the following reports:

Austin, Texas,
April 9, 1957.

Hon. Ben Ramsey, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on State Affairs, to whom was referred H. B. No. 3, have had the same under consideration, and we are instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

LANE, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,
April 9, 1957.

Hon. Ben Ramsey, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on State Affairs, to whom was referred H. B. No. 325, have had the same under consideration, and we are instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

LANE, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,
April 9, 1957.

Hon. Ben Ramsey, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on State Affairs, to whom was referred H. B. No. 391, have had the same under consideration, and we are instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

LANE, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,
April 9, 1957.

Hon. Ben Ramsey, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on State Affairs, to whom was referred H. B. No. 416, have had the same under consideration, and we are instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

LANE, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,
April 9, 1957.

Hon. Ben Ramsey, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on State Affairs, to whom was referred S. B. No. 60, have had the same under

consideration, and we are instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass, as amended, and be printed.

LANE, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,
April 9, 1957.

Hon. Ben Ramsey, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on State Affairs, to whom was referred S. B. No. 286, have had the same under consideration, and we are instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do not pass, but that the Committee Substitute adopted in lieu thereof, do pass and be printed.

LANE, Chairman.

C. S. S. B. No. 286 was read first time.

Austin, Texas,
April 9, 1957.

Hon. Ben Ramsey, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on State Affairs, to whom was referred S. B. No. 316, have had the same under consideration, and we are instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

LANE, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,
April 9, 1957.

Hon. Ben Ramsey, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on State Affairs, to whom was referred S. B. No. 322, have had the same under consideration, and we are instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do not pass, but that the Committee Substitute adopted in lieu thereof do pass and be printed.

LANE, Chairman.

C. S. S. B. No. 322 was read first time.

Austin, Texas,
April 9, 1957.

Hon. Ben Ramsey, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on State Affairs, to whom was referred S. B. No. 341, have had the same under consideration, and we are instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do not

pass, but that the Committee Substitute adopted in lieu thereof, do pass, and be printed.

LANE, Chairman.

C. S. S. B. No. 341 was read first time.

Austin, Texas,
April 9, 1957.

Hon. Ben Ramsey, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on State Affairs, to whom was referred S. B. No. 407, have had the same under consideration, and we are instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

LANE, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,
April 9, 1957.

Hon. Ben Ramsey, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on State Affairs, to whom was referred S. B. No. 437, have had the same under consideration, and we are instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

LANE, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,
April 9, 1957.

Hon. Ben Ramsey, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on State Affairs, to whom was referred S. B. No. 227, have had the same under consideration, and we are instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do not pass and be not printed.

LANE, Chairman.

Senator Weinert by unanimous consent submitted the following reports:

Austin, Texas,
April 8, 1957.

Hon. Ben Ramsey, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Jurisprudence, to whom was referred H. B. No. 84, have had the same under consideration, and we are instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass with committee amendment and be printed.

WEINERT, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,
April 8, 1957.

Hon. Ben Ramsey, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Jurisprudence, to whom was referred H. B. No. 163, have had the same under consideration, and we are instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

WEINERT, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,
April 8, 1957.

Hon. Ben Ramsey, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Jurisprudence, to whom was referred H. B. No. 245, have had the same under consideration, and we are instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

WEINERT, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,
April 8, 1957.

Hon. Ben Ramsey, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Jurisprudence, to whom was referred S. B. No. 424, have had the same under consideration, and we are instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

WEINERT, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,
April 8, 1957.

Hon. Ben Ramsey, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Jurisprudence, to whom was referred H. C. R. No. 40, have had the same under consideration, and we are instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

WEINERT, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,
April 8, 1957.

Hon. Ben Ramsey, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Jurisprudence, to whom was referred H. C. R. No. 66, have had the same under consideration, and we are instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

WEINERT, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,
April 8, 1957.

Hon. Ben Ramsey, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Jurisprudence, to whom was referred S. C. R. No. 57, have had the same under consideration, and we are instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

WEINERT, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,
April 8, 1957.

Hon. Ben Ramsey, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Jurisprudence, to whom was referred H. C. R. No. 69, have had the same under consideration, and we are instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

WEINERT, Chairman.

Senator Parkhouse by unanimous consent submitted the following reports:

Austin, Texas,
April 3, 1957.

Hon. Ben Ramsey, President of the Senate.

Sir, We, your Committee on Water and Conservation, to whom was referred S. B. No. 101, have had the same under consideration, and we are instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do not pass and be not printed.

PARKHOUSE, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,
April 9, 1957.

Hon. Ben Ramsey, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Water and Conservation, to whom was referred S. B. No. 244, have had the same under consideration, and we are instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

PARKHOUSE, Chairman.

Presentation of Guests

Senator Lane by unanimous consent presented Mr. Robert C. Brown of Carthage to the Members of the Senate.

House Concurrent Resolution 70 on Second Reading

The President laid before the Sen-

ate for consideration at this time the following resolution:

H. C. R. No. 70, Designating Grandmothers' Day as the second Sunday in October.

The resolution was read and was adopted.

Senate Resolution 338

Senator Hardeman by unanimous consent offered the following resolution:

Whereas, Three hundred fifty years ago three small sailing vessels—the Susan Constant (100 tons), the Godspeed (40 tons), and the Discovery (20 tons)—carrying one hundred and four souls, sailed from London late in December, 1606, in the midst of winter storms which had delayed their departure for many weeks, and which appear, in retrospect, to have portended the hardships and sufferings endured and to be endured, in the years ahead by their passengers, approached the bright and beckoning shores of Virginia, clad in the verdure of Springtime; and

Whereas, Among the company was the intrepid Captain John Smith, who by his courage, ability and industry saved the brave band of colonists from complete annihilation from famine and Indian depredations and thereby carved his name high on the scroll of everlasting fame; and

Whereas, On May 13, 1607, the three sailing vessels landed at a small island in the James River, some thirty-two miles from its mouth, where the settlement of Jamestown was established, to be followed by years of privation, starvation and death, but which remained as the capital of the Virginia Colony for ninety-two years; and

Whereas, This first permanent settlement of Englishmen on the North American continent demonstrated the vitality and virility of the people of England of that day and age, who despite the awesome hardships of an untamed wilderness and the enmity of the Indians under the leadership of the great Chief, Powhatan, who rightly feared the advent of the colonists, chose rather to suffer affliction in the quest of freedom, than to remain in their native land the subjects of tyrannical royalty; and

Whereas, The romantic legend of Pocahontas, the young Indian prin-

cess, daughter of Chief Powhatan, in saving the life of Captain John Smith, doubtless assuring the survival of the Jamestown settlement, is a source of pride and is appreciated by the young and the old who are so fortunate as to be familiar with the rich and stirring history of our country; and

Whereas, The settlement at Jamestown developed and grew into one of the great colonies of the Original Thirteen and, following a few years of somewhat disorganized leadership, instituted representative government and adopted free competitive enterprise in America in 1619, thus becoming well-deserving of its sobriquet "Old Dominion" and, subsequently to be known as the "Mother of Presidents" by reason of having furnished eight of her distinguished sons to the nation; and

Whereas, The names of the famous men of Virginia are legion and included the peerless Father of our Country, General Washington, Thomas Jefferson, Patrick Henry, Light-horse Harry Lee, Matthew F. Maury, Thomas J. (Stonewall) Jackson and the immortal Robert E. Lee, whose varied abilities represent the versatility and integrity of the true Virginian; and

Whereas, In 1699, The Capital of the struggling colony was moved from Jamestown to near-by Williamsburg, to serve as the Capital until 1780, which latter city has been so magnificently restored by the philanthropy of Mr. and Mrs. John D. Rockefeller, Jr., and which will cooperate and participate in the Jamestown Festival; and

Whereas, In this richly historical region is situated Yorktown, the scene of the last and decisive battle of the American Revolution which will observe with appropriate ceremonies the 176th Anniversary of the taking of Lord Cornwallis at "past two o'clock" in the morning, followed by his surrender to General Washington and Count Rochambeau, October 19, 1781, and which community likewise, will join in the celebration of the Jamestown settlement; and

Whereas, The settlement at Jamestown, assuring an English foothold on the North American Continent, together with the flowering and radiance of colonial life in Williamsburg and the beginning of our Nation's history at Yorktown, are events of unparalleled importance to west-

ern civilization and deserve, yea, demand the cooperation and respect of freedom-loving people throughout the world; and

Whereas, No citizens of this great country can more fully appreciate the hardships and achievements of the colonists of Virginia than Texans, be they native-born or adopted sons and daughters for, as are Virginians of the "Old Dominion," Texans are proud of the heritage of the Lone Star State and well may they be, for hers, likewise, has been indeed a glorious history, a land of romance, a land of legend, and a land of song, replete with the heroic sacrifices of soldier, priest and citizen, all accomplished with a glory and patriotism unexcelled by any people and with whom we proudly share the immortal General Sam Houston; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, By the Senate of the Fifty-fifth Legislature of the State of Texas, that the admiration of the Members of this body for the glorious and inspiring heritages, together with the energies of the present and the ambitious of the future of our great sister Commonwealth of Virginia be, and the same is hereby, expressed; and be it further

Resolved, That the gratitude we share and the best wishes we hold for the success of the Jamestown Festival, joined by her sister communities of Williamsburg and Yorktown, in reenacting the scenes of yesteryear and in portraying to Americans the great contributions made by the founding fathers of Virginia towards the establishment and achievements of our great land be extended to all those aiding in the gigantic undertaking involved in their presentations, and be it further

Resolved, That copies of this Resolution, under the Seal of the Senate of Texas, be forwarded to His Excellency, Honorable Thomas B. Stanley, Governor of the Commonwealth of Virginia, Honorable Conrad Wirth, Director, National Park Service, Honorable Harry F. Byrd and Honorable A. Willis Robertson, United States Senators from Virginia, the President of the Association for the Preservation of Virginia Antiquities, the Superintendent of the Colonial National Historical Park, the Chairman of the Jamestown Festival, the President of the Senate, the Speaker of the House of Delegates of the Virginia Assembly, Mr. and Mrs. John D.

Rockefeller, Jr., the respective Mayors of the participating cities and to the Festival Reservations Bureau.

The resolution was read and was adopted.

Senate Resolution 339

Senator Wood by unanimous consent offered the following resolution:

Whereas, We are honored today to have in the gallery of the Senate, 27 students of the Junior and Senior classes of Eustace Independent High School of Eustace, Henderson County, Texas, accompanied by their teacher, Clyde T. Gartrell; and

Whereas, These students are on an educational tour of the Capitol Building and the Capital City; and

Whereas, This fine group of young American citizens is here to observe and to learn firsthand the workings of their State government; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That we officially recognize and welcome these guests and commend them for their interest; and that a copy of this resolution, properly endorsed, bearing the official seal of the Senate, be mailed to them in recognition of their visit.

The resolution was read and was adopted.

Senator Wood by unanimous consent presented the students and Mr. Gartrell to the Members of the Senate.

Bills Signed

The President signed in the presence of the Senate after the caption had been read, the following enrolled bills:

S. B. No. 251, A bill to be entitled "An Act prohibiting certain acts of pollution of the waters of Lake Lavon, in Collin County, in such manner as is detrimental to fish therein and to persons fishing therein; providing a penalty for such acts; and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 405, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating Brazoria County Road District No. 34 of Brazoria County; etc.; and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 205, A bill to be entitled "An Act validating the organizational proceedings of cities, towns and vil-

lages, including their incorporation, adoption of charters and charter amendment or amendments (of home rule cities), consolidations and boundaries; validating governmental proceedings, offices and officers of any city, town or village; providing the Act shall not validate the organizational or governmental proceedings if the question is involved in litigation; and declaring an emergency."

**Motion to Place Senate Bill 4
on Second Reading**

Senator Parkhouse asked unanimous consent to suspend the regular order of business and take up S. B. No. 4 for consideration at this time.

There was objection.

Senator Parkhouse then moved to suspend the regular order of business and take up S. B. No. 4 for consideration at this time.

The motion was lost by the following vote: (not receiving two-thirds vote of the Members present)

Yeas—17

Bradshaw	Moffett
Fuller	Parkhouse
Gonzalez	Phillips
Herring	Ratliff
Hudson	Reagan
Kazen	Rogers
Krueger	Smith
Lane	Willis
Lock	

Nays—9

Aikin	Moore
Bracewell	Roberts
Fly	Secrest
Hardeman	Wood
Martin	

Absent

Colson	Weinert
Hazlewood	

Absent—Excused

Ashley	Owen
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**Committee Substitute
Senate Bill 50 on Second Reading**

Senator Willis asked unanimous consent to suspend the regular order of business and take up C. S. S. B. No. 50 for consideration at this time.

There was objection.

Senator Willis then moved to suspend the regular order of business and take up C. S. S. B. No. 50 for consideration at this time.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—20

Aikin	Lane
Bradshaw	Moffett
Fuller	Moore
Gonzalez	Phillips
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Rogers
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Willis
Krueger	Wood

Nays—6

Bracewell	Ratliff
Martin	Secrest
Parkhouse	Weinert

Absent

Colson	Lock
Fly	

Absent—Excused

Ashley	Owen
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The President laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

C. S. S. B. No. 50, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 1583-2 of the Penal Code of Texas, as amended, relating to minimum wages of firemen and policemen in cities of ten thousand or more inhabitants, by increasing longevity pay from \$2.00 per month to \$3.00 per month; also making certain textual rearrangements; providing for the effective date of the increase in each city; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Senator Secrest offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 50 by adding a new section to be known as Section 1(c) to read as follows:

"Section 1(c). Provided, however, that the provisions of any amendments to this Article shall not apply to any city unless first adopted by the governing body of said city or determined at an election at which the

adoption or rejection of the amendments to this Article shall be submitted.

"Upon receiving a petition signed by qualified voters in said city in number not less than ten per cent (10%) of the total number voting in the last preceding municipal election, the governing body of said city shall call an election within sixty (60) days after said petition has been filed with such governing body. If at said election a majority of the votes cast shall favor the adoption of the amendments to this Article, said governing body shall put such salary into effect within sixty (60) days after said election. The question shall be submitted for the vote of the qualified electors as follows:

'FOR the adoption of the Firemen and Policemen Minimum Salary Act, as amended.'

'AGAINST the adoption of the Firemen and Policemen Minimum Salary Act, as amended.'

"When an election has been held in a city pursuant to the provisions of this Article, as amended, a petition for another such election shall not be filed for at least one year subsequent to the election so held. Nothing herein shall be construed to prevent the city concerned from adopting this Article as amended without an election."

The amendment was adopted.

On motion of Senator Moffett and by unanimous consent the caption was amended to conform to the body of the bill as amended.

The bill as amended passed to engrossment.

Committee Substitute Senate Bill 50 on Third Reading

Senator Willis moved that the Constitutional Rule and Senate Rule 32 requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that C. S. S. B. No. 50 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—24

Aikin	Fuller
Bracewell	Gonzalez
Bradshaw	Hardeman
Colson	Hazlewood
Fly	Herring

Hudson	Reagan
Kazen	Roberts
Krueger	Rogers
Lane	Secrest
Lock	Smith
Moffett	Willis
Phillips	Wood

Nays—4

Martin	Ratliff
Parkhouse	Weinert

Absent

Moore

Absent—Excused

Ashley	Owen
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The President then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed.

Record of Vote

Senator Moore asked to be recorded as voting "yea" on the final passage of C. S. S. B. No. 50.

Senate Resolution 341

Senator Gonzalez by unanimous consent offered the following resolution:

Whereas, We are honored today to have in the gallery of the Senate South San Antonio High School, from Bexar County, Civics and American History Class, accompanied by their teacher and sponsor, Mr. Warren Vecker and Mr. Galen Elolf; and

Whereas, These students are on an educational tour of the Capitol Building and the Capital City; and

Whereas, This fine group of young American citizens is here to observe and to learn at firsthand the workings of their State government; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That we officially recognize and welcome these guests and commend them for their interest; and that a copy of this resolution, properly endorsed, bearing the official seal of the Senate, be mailed to them in recognition of their visit.

The resolution was read and was adopted.

Senator Gonzalez by unanimous consent presented the students and teacher and sponsor to the Members of the Senate.

House Bill 3 Ordered Not Printed

On motion of Senator Moffett and by unanimous consent H. B. No. 3 was ordered not printed.

House Bill 3 on Second Reading

On motion of Senator Moffett and by unanimous consent, the regular order of business was suspended to take up for consideration at this time on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 3, A bill to be entitled "An Act establishing standards of conduct for officers and employees of state agencies, legislators and legislative employees in the area of possible conflict between their private interests and official duties and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and passed to third reading.

House Bill 3 on Third Reading

Senator Moffett moved that the Constitutional Rule and Senate Rule 32 requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that House Bill No. 3 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—28

Aikin	Lock
Bracewell	Martin
Bradshaw	Moffett
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood

Absent

Moore

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

The President then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

Senate Resolution 342

Senator Weinert by unanimous consent offered the following resolution:

Whereas, We are honored today to have in the gallery of the Senate 32 students of the 6th grade from Lytle Elementary School in Atascosa County, accompanied by their teacher or sponsor, Mr. W. C. Loessberg; and

Whereas, These students are on an educational tour of the Capitol Building and the Capitol City; and

Whereas, This fine group of young American citizens is here to observe and to learn at firsthand the workings of their State government; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That we officially recognize and welcome these guests and commend them for their interest; and that a copy of this resolution, properly endorsed, bearing the official seal of the Senate, be mailed to them in recognition of their visit.

The resolution was read and was adopted.

Senator Weinert by unanimous consent presented the students and Mr. Loessberg to the Members of the Senate.

Senate Bill 323 on Second Reading

On motion of Senator Krueger and by unanimous consent, the regular order of business was suspended to take up for consideration at this time on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 323, A bill to be entitled

"An Act requiring a permit for the selling, licensing, or otherwise authorizing the public performances for profit under a blanket license of certain copyrighted musical or dramatico-musical compositions; requiring the filing of copies of such agreements or licenses with the Secretary of State; providing for appointment of attorney for service of process by non-residents; providing that such activities by a corporation constitute doing business in this State; providing that this Act shall not impair or affect existing contracts; providing a penalty; providing that for severability of clauses and provisions; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 323 on Third Reading

Senator Krueger moved that the Constitutional Rule and Senate Rule 32 requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 323 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley	Owen
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The President then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Fly
Bracewell	Fuller
Bradshaw	Gonzalez
Colson	Hardeman

Hazlewood	Phillips
Herring	Ratliff
Hudson	Reagan
Kazen	Roberts
Krueger	Rogers
Lane	Secrest
Lock	Smith
Martin	Weinert
Moffett	Willis
Moore	Wood
Parkhouse	

Absent—Excused

Ashley	Owen
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Minority Report on Senate Bill 227

The following Minority Report was submitted on Senate Bill 227:

We, the following members of the State Affairs Committee, do hereby give notice under Senate Rule 110 of a favorable minority report for S. B. 227 and within the required ten days a motion will be made to substitute this minority report for the majority report. We were present at the committee hearing and voted on the minority side.

PARKHOUSE
WILLIS
FULLER
PHILLIPS

Executive Session

On motion of Senator Lock and by unanimous consent, the Senate agreed to hold an executive session at 12:19 o'clock p.m. today.

Accordingly the President directed all those not entitled to attend the executive session of the Senate to retire from the Senate Chamber and instructed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close all doors leading from the Chamber.

At the conclusion of the executive session, the Secretary of the Senate informed the Journal Clerk that the Senate had confirmed the following nominations of the Governor:

To be a member of the Board of Insurance Commissioners of Texas, for a regular term to expire February 10, 1963: Joe P. Gibbs of Seguin, Guadalupe County.

To be District Judge of the 65th Judicial District, to fill the unexpired term of Honorable Morris A. Galatzan, resigned: Robert E. Cunningham of El Paso, El Paso County.

In Legislative Session

The President called the Senate to order as in Legislative Session at 12:25 o'clock p.m.

Senate Bill 440 on First Reading

Senator Fuller by unanimous consent moved that Senate Rule 114 and Section 5 of Article III of the State Constitution be suspended to permit his introducing at this time, a bill, the provisions of which he explained.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

The following bill was then introduced, read first time and referred to the committee indicated:

By Senator Fuller:

S. B. No. 440, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating a conservation and reclamation district under the provisions of Section 59, Article XVI, Constitution of Texas, to be known as "Jefferson County Fresh Water Supply District No. 2"; prescribing its rights, powers, privileges, and duties; providing for its governing body; containing other provisions relating to the subject; providing a severability clause; and declaring an emergency."

To the Committee on Water and Conservation.

Senate Joint Resolution 3 with House Amendments

Senator Hazlewood called S. J. R. No. 3 from the President's table for consideration of the House amendments to the bill.

The President laid the bill and House amendments before the Senate, and the House amendments were read.

Senator Hazlewood moved that the Senate do not concur in the House amendments, but that a conference committee be appointed to adjust the differences between the two Houses on the bill.

The motion prevailed.

House Concurrent Resolution 83 on Second Reading

The President laid before the Senate on its second reading the following resolution:

H. C. R. No. 83, Requesting the return of House Bills Nos. 18, 50 and 63.

The resolution was read and was adopted.

Senate Bill 441 on First Reading

Senator Lock by unanimous consent moved that Senate Rule 114 and Section 5 of Article III of the State Constitution be suspended to permit his introducing at this time a bill, the provisions of which he explained.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Bracewell	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Ashley Owen

The following bill was then introduced, read first time and referred to the committee indicated:

By Senator Lock:

S. B. No. 441, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Section 1, Acts 1953, 53rd Legislature, Page 464,

Chapter 150 (appearing as Article 2786d, Vernon's Annotated Civil Statutes), so as to authorize school districts to place the proceeds from sale of school district bonds on interest bearing secured time deposits with a state or national banking corporation within this State, as well as to invest such proceeds in bonds or other obligations of the United States of America, until needed for purposes for which school district bonds were originally authorized; repealing conflicting laws; providing partial invalidity shall not affect remainder of the Act; and declaring an emergency."

To the Committee on State Affairs.

Message from the House

Hall of the House of Representatives,
Austin, Texas,
April 9, 1957.

Hon. Ben Ramsey, President of the Senate.

Sir: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed the following:

S. C. R. No. 58, Commending students and ex-students of Texas A. and M. College for their observance of Muster Day.

Respectfully submitted,

DOROTHY HALLMAN,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

Message from the Governor

The following message received from the Governor was read and was referred to the Committee on Nominations:

Austin, Texas,
April 9, 1957.

To the Senate of the Fifty-fifth Legislature:

I ask the advice, consent and confirmation of the Senate with respect to the following appointments:

To be members of the Board of Directors, Texas Technological College, for six-year terms to expire February 19, 1963: C. I. (Stony) Wall of Amarillo, Potter County; Harold Hinn of Plainview, Hale County; Floyd A. Wooldridge of Dallas, Dallas County.

Respectfully submitted,

PRICE DANIEL,
Governor of Texas.

Senate Concurrent Resolution 61

Senator Wood by unanimous consent offered the following resolution:

S. C. R. No. 61, Requesting Texas Legislative Council to make a study of the agricultural economy of Texas.

Whereas, Texas is traditionally and basically an agricultural State, ranking second in the United States in total rural population, with approximately 37 per cent thereof residing in rural areas; and

Whereas, Despite the unprecedented expansion of petroleum, chemical, manufacturing, and other industries in the State, agriculture continues to be the backbone of Texas' economy; and

Whereas, Increases in the use of mechanization and irrigation and the application of scientific and technological developments on Texas farms and ranches have brought about spectacular improvements; and

Whereas, Despite such progress rural incomes, both farm and non-farm, were lower than the State median at the time of the 1950 census; and

Whereas, It is imperative that the agricultural progress of recent years in Texas be continued with increasing momentum to meet the needs of a growing population; and

Whereas, Efficient and effective coordination of all phases of State agricultural services is imperative, especially in view of the multiplicity and complexity of Federal regulations pertaining to agriculture; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, by the Senate of the State of Texas, the House of Representatives concurring, That the Texas Legislative Council be requested to make a comprehensive study of the agricultural economy of Texas, with particular attention to the services, both State and Federal now offered to Texas agriculture, together with an appropriate survey of the types of assistance given agriculture by other States; and be it further

Resolved, That the Legislative Council is directed to make a complete study of the operation of the State Department of Agriculture; and, in making this broad study, to obtain the assistance of all other State agencies, departments and educational institutions, whose activities

affect agriculture directly or indirectly; and be it further

Resolved, That this assignment be completed, together with findings and recommendations of the Council, for report to the 56th Texas Legislature in 1959.

The resolution was read and was

referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

Adjournment

On motion of Senator Hardeman the Senate at 12:30 o'clock p.m. adjourned until 10:30 o'clock a.m. tomorrow.

In Memory of Colonel John H. Miller

Senator Roberts offered the following resolution:

(Senate Resolution 340)

Whereas, On March 26, 1957, the City of Greenville and the State of Texas lost a most worthy and outstanding citizen in the untimely passing of Colonel John H. Miller; and

Whereas, Colonel Miller was born in New York City on January 1, 1897; and was married to Louise Rutherford of Greenville, Texas, on September 8, 1938; and

Whereas, He entered the United States Army on February 8, 1914, and served his country faithfully for thirty-three years, serving in World War I and World War II, during which he served under General Douglas MacArthur. He served with the Corps of Engineers until 1940, then with the Adjutant General's Department until his retirement from military service in 1946 as a Lieutenant Colonel; and

Whereas, He was made an Honorary Admiral in the Texas Navy on April 25, 1952; and

Whereas, He adopted the City of Greenville as his home upon retirement from military service, and served as its Mayor for two terms, in 1950 and in 1952; and during his terms of office he led in encouraging many projects for the improvement of the city, including additional street paving, improving the city's waterworks system, construction of a new reservoir, increasing capacity of the power plant, sewer improvements, and construction of a new public library; and

Whereas, The Senate of Texas takes note of the fact that Colonel John H. Miller was active in many civic capacities; was one of the organizers of the Greenville Kiwanis Club; was deeply interested in the schools and organized the Travis Dad's Club and the Central Dad's Club in Greenville; was responsible to a great extent for the founding of the Y.M.C.A. in Greenville, and served that organization as a director and also as a member of its building committee; was active in the American Legion, was a Chamber of Commerce member; was a 32nd Degree Mason, his lodge affiliations including Greenville Lodge 114 RAM, Greenville Council No. 68, R&SM, DeMolay, and the Abau Saad Temple of the Shrine in Panama; was a leader in the program of the First Presbyterian Church, of which he was a member, and served on its Board of Deacons; and

Whereas, He was never called upon for a civic or charitable duty or contribution that he did not respond fully, freely, and graciously; and

Whereas, His service to his adopted home, The City of Greenville, was outstanding and his participation, advice, and counsel as one of its greatest builders and leaders will be sorely missed; and

Whereas, The Senate fully recognizes the fact that Colonel John H. Miller was widely respected and enjoyed a special place in the heart of all who knew him; and

Whereas, The Senate further recognizes that Colonel John H. Miller had a happy faculty of doing a maximum of good with a minimum of publicity, and was a great and good man, loyal and true to his family and friends, loved and respected by all from every walk of life who knew him; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That this be our word of deep regret but of comfort to his wife, Louise Rutherford Miller, and his four sons, John H. Miller, Jr., Samuel Miller, Ben Miller, and Mike Miller; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be sent to each member of his family; and that when the Senate adjourns today it do so in honor of and in memory of Colonel John H. Miller.

ROBERTS

Signed—Ben Ramsey, Lieutenant Governor; Aikin, Ashley, Bracewell, Bradshaw, Colson, Fly, Fuller, Gonzalez, Hardeman, Hazlewood, Herring, Hudson, Kazen, Krueger, Lane, Lock, Martin, Moffett, Moore, Owen, Parkhouse, Phillips, Ratliff, Reagan, Rogers, Secrest, Smith, Weinert, Willis, Wood.

The resolution was read.

On motion of Senator Ratliff and by unanimous consent the names of the Lieutenant Governor and all the Senators were added to the resolution as signers thereof.

The resolution was then adopted by a rising vote of the Senate.